

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No.: 10/561,720  
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Applicant: Richard F. Allison  
Group Art Unit: 1638  
Examiner: Li Zheng  
Title: EXPRESSION OF A RECOMBINANT TRANSGENE  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 29, 2008, please amend the application as follows and consider the remarks set forth below.

Applicant hereby petitions under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 20 of this paper.